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Valley Flood Crisis Increases



CITY ELECTION WARMING UP

By JANE VOILES
Numerous Petitions Are Taken Out; Robert Hook Candidate For Council

Interest is increasing in the Placerville city election of April 9th. Although it appeared early in the week that there might be a scarcity of candidates when the time for filing nominations expires on Saturday of next week, it was evident today that at least as far as the election for councilmen is concerned, there is likely to be competition.

Two candidates for election to the council were in the field Friday morning and City Clerk Esther A. Maher reported that "several other petitions are being circulated."

The second aspirant to file is Robert A. Hook, manager of the Placerville Coca Cola Bottling Works. His petition was filed Friday morning. M. T. Kelly was his verification deputy.

Earlier in the week, Reuel Whigham filed his candidacy.

During Thursday afternoon and Friday morning, the city clerk reported, "seven or eight" petitions were applied for and if all of them are verified and returned there will be a contest for all three posts of the council in which the terms expire this year.

The councilmen whose terms expire are George E. Faugstad, James K. Pierson and Sid Price. Mr. Price, who has been indicated, will be a candidate for election. The term which he is now serving is by appointment to fill the unexpired term of the late Fred N. Hosking.

Registration for the municipal election closed on February 29th and the time for filing nominations in the election, in which three councilmen, a city clerk and a city treasurer are to be named, expires on Saturday, March 9th.

De Molays In Weekend Meet
Band Concert Attracts General Public Interest; Parade Saturday At 5 P. M.

Officers of El Dorado Chapter, Order of De Molay, report that all arrangements are complete for the reception and entertainment of more than one hundred members of the order who will meet in Placerville Saturday and Sunday for their regular Sacramento Valley division quarterly conference.

The public support of the ticket sale for the concert and variety show, which will be given by the Sacramento De Molay Band of fifty pieces at the Shakespeare Clubhouse at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night has been general and the prospects are for a large attendance.

The band, weather permitting, will lead a Main Street parade at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Convention registration opens at noon Saturday evening when the first formal event of the convention, the divisional ball, will be held at the Shakespeare Clubhouse. During the afternoon the De Molay basketball championships will be played at the high school gymnasium.

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Two Burn To Death In \$700,000 Fire

ABERDEEN, Wash. (UPI)—Fire destroyed the \$700,000 plant of the Aberdeen Plywood Company today, burning two workmen to death. Eight other members of the night crew barely escaped with their lives.

Victims were Charles Gribas and Arnie Lundquist. Only one body was found. It was burned beyond recognition.

Third Degree Conferred By El Dorado Lodge

More than eighty members of El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F & A.M., met Thursday evening at the Masonic temple for a turkey dinner which was followed by a meeting of the lodge during which George Davenport was raised as a Master Mason.

Don Emmerson Has Part In Placer College Play

AUBURN—Lillian B. Allen, director of the Placer Drama Guild announced the cast of "The Valiant," as follows: James Dyke, Levan Joseph; Prison Warden, Howard Fisher; Father Daly; Oliver Bauer; Jailor, Don Emerson; Attendant, Bill Bergthold and Josephine Parks. Margaret Price.

"The Valiant," famous Hall-Middlemass prison-drama has been selected by the guild for production in the 1940 Pasadena playhouse 1-act Play Tournament, to be held in Pasadena April 16.

Uncle Sam Puts His Tanks Through Their Paces



Six battalions of tanks are shown in formation at Fort Benning, Ga., opening a program of field training ordered by the War Department. Over the land monsters hover great fighting planes. The tanks maneuvered under combat conditions, crashing through woods and houses, fighting off attacking planes and crossing rivers (inset), through smoke screens. (Central Press)

CONSERVATION WEEK MAPPED

Motion Pictures Will Carry Message To Schools, Civic, Community Groups

The sixth annual observance of California Conservation Week, on March 7 to 14th, in El Dorado County, will feature the showing of motion pictures in schools and before civic and other community groups.

This was determined at a meeting of the Conservation Week committee on Thursday, with Charles W. Doe, Jr., of Diamond Springs, as chairman.

Members of the committee in addition to Mr. Doe are Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, secretary; and Robert H. Weidman, field supervisor of the Institute of Forest Genetics; Willard Auskin, state fire warden; Glenn Paxton, area conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service; and Ivan Liley, farm advisor.

The committee ruled against the posting contest in the schools, which has been a feature of the program for the week in the county for some years past, in favor of the motion picture presentation.

The various films to be presented will demonstrate the effect of conservation in the forests, in preserving the soil, and in wild life management, as against the wasteful practices of carelessness in regard to these natural resources.

BURAL ART DEATHS SLAMED FOR MOUNTING TOLL IN TRAFFIC

CHICAGO (UPI)—Americans, although shocked by the human slaughter in war torn Europe, appear resigned to an increasing peace-time slaughter of thousands on U. S. highways, the National Safety Council reports.

This will be followed by a luncheon at the Masonic temple and by the concluding business session of the convention.

The situation is made ironic by the fact that the attacks in Europe are made upon an enemy and inspired by patriotism, whereas here we are killing fellow citizens, and for no reason except carelessness, he said.

The council blamed rural areas for the increase. Traffic deaths in all reporting cities were down slightly—less than 1 per cent—but were up about 8 per cent in rural areas.

Oakland, Calif., showed the greatest improvement among cities of 250,000 population with a decrease of 73 per cent in deaths January this year from the same month last year.



FRUIT AND NUT TREE CENSUS

Growers To Register Orchards, New Plantings With J. A. Winkelman

California fruit growers are pooling their records of planting that they may all know more about the state productive acreage of each type of tree fruits and nuts within the state.

All preparations are complete for the growers' registration of such plantings with the county agricultural commissioner under the plan set forth by the 1939 legislature.

Details of how registrations are to be made were announced by County Agricultural Commissioner John A. Winkelman who is ready

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Main St. Sites To Be Rebuilt

New Buildings Will Replace Three Lost In Fire During Week

The three frame buildings which bore the brunt of the damage in this week's Main Street fire, will be replaced with modern structures.

This was learned Friday from Henry Steitz, owner of the building occupied by the Golden Barber Shop and from N. Fox, owner of the building which was occupied by the Pony Express restaurant and the Tahoe Meat Market.

That is about as much as either of the owners would say Friday and this was taken to indicate that their preparations are yet in a preliminary stage.

Many Happy Returns of the Day, Mr. Martin.

Saturday is Edwin Green's birthday and Sunday is Mrs. Emma McCumsey's birthday, and so happy birthday to them, too.

Mrs. McCumsey, Mr. Martin and Mr. Green usually join in a picnic to celebrate their birthdays, but this year the observance is being postponed to await better weather.

In addition to Tax Collector Truscott, who had a birthday on February 29th, Bryce Euer, of the Bar E ranch, near White Rock, had a "leap year" birthday, too. Mr. Euer's birthday was his "ninth."

C. C. Herbert, forest road superintendent, was in the Rubicon section on Friday.

"Wireless" Message Tells Distress

REDDING (UPI)—Shades of the old West!

At the height of the flood, smoke signals were seen coming from a small wooded island within the city limits of Redding. It turned out to be an Indian woodchopper, marooned on the island for three days and three nights without food or shelter.

An airplane dropped food to him.

HOOP TITLE AT STAKE TONIGHT

Cougars Play Eagles In Championship Of County Basketball League

The nine-week playing season of the county basketball league reaches a climax tonight at the high school gymnasium in the finale of the championship playoff, with the high school's Cougars pitted against the undefeated Eagles in the feature game.

The preliminary will be between Mac's Jumbos and the Snowline CCC five.

The Cougars won from the Snowline quintet Wednesday night in the opening round of the play-offs, 41 to 30, while the Eagles emerged winners over Mac's Jumbos with a two-point margin, 27 to 25, after two extra periods of play.

The Eagles played the entire league schedule without losing a game, although in some contests they won by scant margins and observers felt were lucky to win.

Some of the fans are convinced that the Eagles will need to dislodge against the Cougars tonight a vast improvement over their form in the game Wednesday night, or they will be likely to have their wings clipped.

Snowline's performance against the Cougars Wednesday night was a marked improvement over their showing earlier in the race and followers of the league promise that Mac's Jumbos will find the CCC outfit plenty of competition in the preliminary game.

The Jumbos were in fine fettle against the Eagles Wednesday night, and if they set the same pace against Snowline, the preliminary game tonight will be no less thrilling and interesting than the championship tilt.

Pair Escape Death As Private Plane Falls

BAKERSFIELD (UPI)—A private airplane crashed in the Tehachapi Mountains near Fort Tejon 35 miles south of here during a storm last night, injuring a woman passenger who had chartered the plane to catch a boat in San Pedro.

Gracia Patton, Bellevue, Wash., was brought to Bakersfield hospital, suffering a fractured right leg. The pilot, Andy Andrews, of Sacramento, suffered shock but was not hospitalized.

People can assist us in keeping a check on the possibility of rabies in the community if they will notify us when they have bitten by a dog," Morton said.

"The dog should not be killed immediately," he said, "unless it is running amuck and it is very obvious that the dog is mad, since it is within the realm of possibility that a dog may have a rabies infection which of so recent date that an analysis of the head will not disclose the infection."

Morton said it was reported that the Petrie dog had bitten his young master. The dog died Thursday night.

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Five Of Six Feared Drowned Are Found Clinging To Tree Tops

The body of W. L. Young, 50, of Marysville, father of Mrs. Jack Meyers, of Placerville, was recovered Thursday night near Knight's Landing. He had apparently been drowned Tuesday night after he abandoned his car on Walnut Lane, after the car had become stalled in the overflow from flooded Cache Creek.

Mr. Young was known among Placerville business men, having visited this area from time to time for the past twenty years as a meat and grocery salesman.

D. F. McCallum, of the state Division of Water Resources staff, who with Fred Paget escaped drowning Tuesday in an accident in which Harold E. Von Bergen was drowned, is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stephen, of Placerville.

Paget, as is well known, formerly was employed with the Forest Service here. All were Division of Water Resources employees and were in a boat together when the boat upset.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen, formerly of Quincy, Plumas County, are staying at Hotel Raffles and Mr. Stephen is mining near Coloma.

They have received word that their son-in-law is resting easily but that it will be a day or so yet before it will be known whether he will be spared pneumonia as a result of his near escape from drowning.

SACRAMENTO (UPI)—U. S. Meteologist E. H. Fletcher today warned of serious floods in prospect during the next two or three days in the rich agricultural delta.

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Dog's Head To Be Examined

City Will Seek To Learn Petrie Family Pet Died Of Rabies Infection

Pointing out that there is no cause for alarm and that he does not wish to arouse public interest in the matter, Chief of Police James Morton said Friday that the head of a dog belonging to the Willis Petrie family is being sent to laboratories at Berkeley to determine whether the dog had rabies.

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TESTED RECIPES
AND
HOUSEHOLD HINTS

— BY —
JUNE CHEMNITZ



News For Housewives;
Pork Prices Down

The price of pork is lower than it has been for months. It is good luck for the thrifty homemaker when foods which are high in food value are low in price. There is a very large variety of pork cuts suitable for every occasion, and all of them are nutritious as well. Breakfast bacon, ham, pork brains and sausages are favorites for the morning meal. Chops, ham and sausage combination dishes are appreciated on the luncheon table. While the loin roasts, fresh or smoked ham, and crown roasts fit well for the evening family meal.

Among the pork cuts not always given the consideration they deserve are pork hocks. These when served with sauerkraut, make particularly tasty combination that hits the spot when dinner is called these wintry nights.

Unusual Pies

Here are some new recipes to add to your collection of choice pies.

Pansy Chess Pie

1/4 pound butter, 1 cup sugar, 2 egg-yolks, 1 egg-white, 1 cup walnuts meats, 1 cup raisins.

Cream butter and sugar, add well beaten eggs, walnut meats, raisins soaked in water 1 hour. Flavor with 1 teaspoon vanilla and bake in an un-cooked pastry shell for 30 to 35 minutes. Top with meringue made of two egg whites and 4 tablespoons sugar. Brown in lower oven. This is a very rich pie. Serve in small portions.

Nabisco Pie

10 cent package Nabiscos, 3 eggs, 1 1/2 lemons, 1 can Eagle Brand milk (sweetened). Butter pie tin generously. Line tin with Nabiscos, which have been rolled very fine, and press into the butter.

Filling: Combine egg-yolks, lemon juice and grated rind. Add milk and mix thoroughly. Place in lined tin and over the top make a meringue of the egg-whites with one tablespoon sugar, make this very stiff and pile on top of the pie. Bake in a slow oven for 20 minutes. Watch closely. Remove from oven and set in a cool place until time to serve.

Pork Hocks And Sauerkraut

6 pork hocks, 1 large can sauerkraut, 1/2 teaspoon pepper. Wash pork hocks thoroughly. It is not necessary to skin them. Arrange on a layer of sauerkraut in kettle. Cover with remainder of kraut. Add pepper. Add enough water to cover well. Cook in a 350 degree oven, covered tightly, about two hours.

**Chicken Spanish
(By Request)**

Select a chicken for roasting; disjoint, roll in flour and fry a nice brown in equal parts of butter and lard; remove from frying pan into saucepan; cover with hot water and cook slowly until very tender. Remove from liquid and add Spanish sauce made as follows: 1 onion, 1 bell pepper, clove of garlic, Celery salt. Brown slowly in oil. Add a large can of solid pack tomatoes. Cook altogether for a few minutes. Add 1 tablespoon chili pepper, 1 small can mushroom buttons, salt and pepper to taste, 1 tablespoon parsley. Pour over the chicken and cook for 1/2 hour. Thicken gravy with one tablespoon flour and 1/2 cup chicken broth.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Time for Proving Will of Anna C. Nicholson, also known as Anna Nicholson, Deceased, and for Hearing Petition for Letters of Administration with the Will Annexed Thereon.

No. _____ In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of El Dorado, State of California, on the _____ day of March A. D. 1940, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, and the court room of the above entitled court, at the court house, in the County of El Dorado, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place of proving the will of said ANNA C. NICHOLSON, also known as ANNA NICHOLSON, deceased, and for hearing the application of HULDA REIMERS for the issuance to her of Letters of Administration with the Will Annexed thereto when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated: Placerville, February 21st, 1940.

ARTHUR J. KOLETZKE,

Clerk.

By V. H. BENSON,

Deputy Clerk.

HENRY H. IRWIN, Attorney for Petitioners, Central Bank Bldg., Oakland, California.

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**FRUIT AND NUT
TREE CENSUS**

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to handle all such registrations of plantings in this county.

Standardized forms have been developed and provided by the state department of agriculture in order that these records may be brought together on a similar basis.

The purpose of tree registration, Winkelman said, is to provide and maintain for the fruit and nut growers and all other interested groups the best possible inventory information showing the total acreages of each of these crops in all counties.

When registration of all plantings now standing is completed, this inventory information will show totals by age for each variety, which is information of special value for these California crops.

In order to keep this information

up to date growers are required to report to the county agricultural commissioner acreage decreases from any cause and new plantings.

To obtain prompt recording of new plantings, growers making plantings of an acre or more are required to get in touch with Winkelman's office before planting.

They will be furnished a planting registration certificate and a planting report form for their use. In El Dorado county, planting certificates will be made available by calling the commissioner's office.

This type of inventory information is acknowledged to be of special value to all growers and will be particularly useful since this registration is state-wide and similar summaries will be available for each county and will be combined for the entire state.

Winkelman emphasized the need for all growers of fruit and nut crops in the county to give their full assistance in obtaining this information.

KELSEY

Mrs. Eugenia Bruins, former su-

perintendent of schools, in Alpine

home, was a guest at the Keller

home for a few days last week.

Since the demand for Northside

property has become so brisk, Mrs.

Bruins who owns eighty acres, the

former Murphy land, came to in-

vestigate several offers, as this land

is both mining property and farm-

ing land. Los Angeles parties have

made two trips in regard to this

property, the last trip coming in

from Auburn on account of safer

roads.

Jack Altermott, one of the recent

beneficiaries of the mining boom,

having sold his Blue Lead property

to Wilton Tininis, has so completely

recovered after a stay at the San-

itorium that he took a trip to Fresno

where he found a brother whom

he had not heard from since Jack

went north in the Alaska Gold

Rush of '98. Jack returned last Sat-

urday accompanied by his brother

and family of grown-up children.

He took them to the Alhambra and

Blue Lead to show them his former

home and mines.

weakens the shoulder of the high-

way where not taking it completely

out. The guard stakes sometimes

must be placed almost in the cen-

ter of the road. We on the North-

side desire the road to be made

four feet wider all the way and ten

feet on most of the turns. Strang-

ers return by way of Auburn and

when coming to the Kelsey district

come in by way of Auburn. People

in the next district north attend

the picture shows in Auburn not

knowing what the Chili Bar grade

will be like from day to day. One of

the owners of the Kelsey mine rents

a house in Auburn, 25 miles dis-

tant, and drives to and from the

mine which is seven miles from

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thirty students has taken a vaca-

tion until some temporary repara-

tion are made.

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Valley Flood Crises Grows

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of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers below Sacramento.

"Flood waters are concentrating in the lower Sutter by-pass and the delta region, where the flood hazard is rapidly increasing," said Fletcher.

He added that the lower San Joaquin river will continue rising moderately during the next two or three days and while there is no serious flood situation in prospect on the river itself its flow will add to the heavy flow of water in the delta area from the Sacramento.

Fletcher also said that extreme danger will continue during the next 24 hours on sections of the Sacramento river between Colusa and Sacramento where many levees have broken and large areas flooded.

Gaining new fury as it slowed up in the flat bottom lands of the Sacramento Valley, the Sacramento River broke through its levees in western Sutter County today and spread a muddy stream over extensive farming areas.

The flood engulfed an automobile carrying six refugees near Meridian and all were feared to have been drowned until five of them were found later, clinging to tree tops. Mrs. Frank Fleharty, 52, was missing and believed dead.

This brought the toll of lives in the flood to four. Property damage was estimated at over \$5,000,000 and between 4,000 and 5,000 were homeless.

Maitland Pennington, publisher of the Meridian Index, said the river had overflowed approximately 30,000 acres of land and that preparations were being made to evacuate the town of Meridian.

The town has about 500 residents.

Pennington said the waters were about 1/4-mile from the town and rising rapidly.

The levee break occurred about six miles below the town of Colusa, on the Sutter county side of the river. Pennington said the

GOLD HILL NOTES

From 12 to 2 p.m. Friday the Gold Hill school was a scene of a Washington's Birthday party when the pupils entertained their little brothers and sisters. After a lunch at a very appropriately decorated table the program contained readings, songs and games. The birthday cake placed between two miniature cherry trees pleased the little folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Veerkamp, Mrs. Wentz, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Veerkamp spent last Sunday evening in Sacramento at the ice carnival.

We are glad to report Ruth Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilkinson, is feeling much improved after her sudden appendicitis operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mann of Bay, Sonoma county, were callers in Gold Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Veerkamp, of Plymouth, were calling on relatives on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Akin and family were in Placer county on business Sunday.

Tuesday Mrs. Maurice Veerkamp, Mrs. Leo Akin and Mrs. Elwin Veerkamp were in Sacramento to see "Gone With the Wind." Mrs. James Woodward, Sr., and son, Stephen, returned with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Maurice Veerkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Veerkamp and Miss Inez Veerkamp were in Sacramento Sunday to see "Gone With the Wind." They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niebauer and Denis O'Brian has been building

flooded area was about four miles wide and about 14 miles long. Much valuable farming land was covered by the inundation.

New breaks also were reported at Knights Landing, about 30 miles down the river from Colusa. The stream was about a foot over its banks, it was reported, but the town of 300 persons was not in immediate danger.

A crew of 150 WPA laborers immediately started throwing up a secondary levee.

Further rain was predicted for the Siskiyou Mountains, where the Sacramento River rises, some time tomorrow. Pennington said the

ladies of the Grange have set fence for Elwin Veerkamp the past week.

The ladies of the Grange have set play to be given at the Coloma Hall.

Mr. Potter's chicken plant, located on Mrs. Dan Akin's place is progressing in spite of the wet weather.

The road men have been busy in the Gold Hill section doing some much needed repair work on the roads due to the continued storms.

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First class rubber. \$455

'32 Chevrolet Coach. Low cost dependable transportation. \$125

'34 Ford Tudor. Motor overhauled. New tires. Very clean. \$245

'32 Chevy. Delivery. Panel Body. Just the car. \$60

for the prospector. \$50

'35 Chevy. Truck. 157-inch wheelbase. Heavy duty rubber. Dual wheels. \$365

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'39 Ford DE LUXE FORD SEDAN. Clean, spotless. Very low mileage. Top condition. \$695

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'38 Ford DE LUXE FORD SEDAN. Equipped with radio and heater. Original black finish like new. Complete set of new heavy duty tires. An exceptional car. \$575

OUR GUARANTEE COUNTS

'38 Ford PICKUP. Completely overhauled and re-finished. Tires okay. Carries Ford R & G \$445

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'28 Ford COUPE. New motor. \$565

'31 Dodge COUPE. Reduced \$40 in price. \$145

'37 Ford COUPE. Good paint and upholstery. Unusual buy. Has \$465

'38 Ford COUPE. Equipped with radio. Good condition. \$545

'39 Chevy. Pickup. Looks like new. Perfect shape. \$585

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LIVING COSTS UP

HALIFAX, (P.)—Retail commodities are going up in price. A 20-ounce loaf which formerly cost 8 cents now is sold for 10. Bakers said an increase of \$2.20 a barrel of flour was responsible.

Mrs. E. Ybright and Mrs. Charles Ross